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 Serial No.: 09/839,872
 For: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR MANAGING CHANGES IN A PUBLIC KEY
 CERTIFICATE DIRECTORY
 Filed: April 20, 2001
 Examiner: Jung W. Kim
 Art Unit: 2132
 Confirmation No.: 4338

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Commissioner for Patents
 P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450
 Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

No additional fee is required.
 The fee has been calculated as shown below.
 This is an application of a small entity under 37 CFR 1.9(f), and the amounts shown in parentheses apply.

Claims as Amended

(1)	(2) Claims remaining after amendment	(3)	(4) Highest number previously paid for	(5) Present extra	(6) Rare	(7) Additional Fee
Total claims	15	Minus	** = 20	* 0 x	\$50 (25)	= \$ 0
Independent claims	6	Minus	*** = 6	* 0 x	\$200(100)	= \$ 0
Total additional fee for this amendment						\$ 0

* If the entry in Column 2 is less than the entry in Column 4, write "0" in Column 5.

** If the highest number of total claims previously paid for is less than 20, write "20" in this space.

*** If the highest number of independent claims previously paid for is less than 3, write "3" in this space.

This application contains a multiple dependent claim. The required fee of \$360(180) has been previously paid , or is paid herewith .

This response is being filed within the _____ month following the expiration of the term originally set therefor. This is a petition to request a _____ month extension of time. A check covering the cost of the petition is enclosed.

A check in the amount of \$_____ is attached, which covers the cost of additional claims; _____ petition for extension of time.

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Respectfully submitted,

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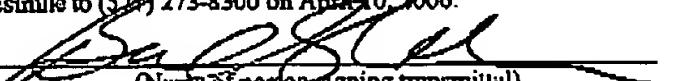
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RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

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Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed on January 11, 2006, having a three month statutory period for response set to expire on April 11, 2006, Applicants respectfully request the Examiner to consider the following remarks.

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Remarks/Arguments begin on page 12 of this paper.

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